Information Systems Management in the Year 2000

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Managing Information Systems—Topics

- Historical Framework
- Target for IS Management

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Historical Framework

- Breadth of the Relationship
- Complexity of the Requirement
- Role of the IS Vendor
- Orientation of the Responsibility

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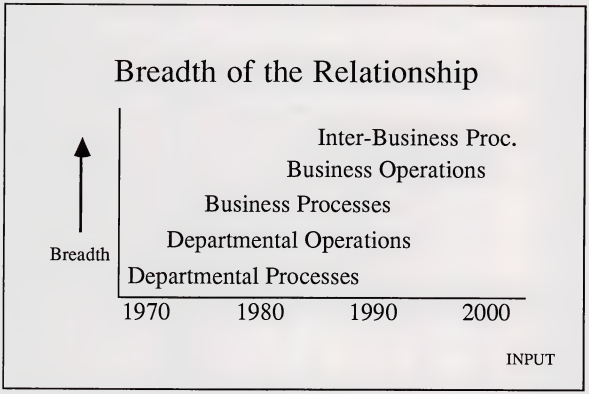

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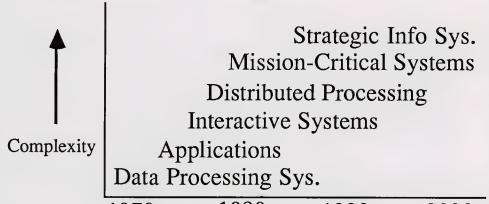

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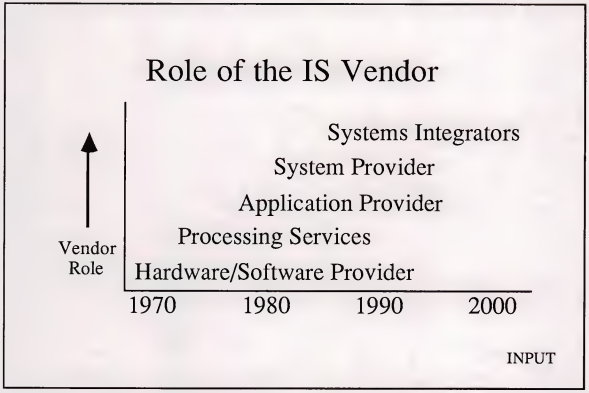

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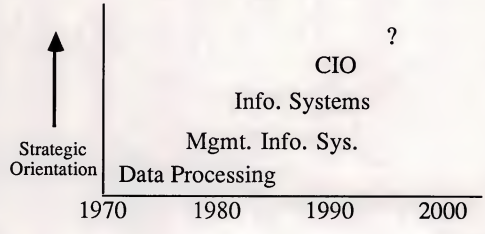

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Information Systems—
Driving Forces

- Bottom-Line Return
- Rapid Response and Development
- Expanding Wealth of Technology
- International Competition
- Unstable Organizational Environment

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Information Systems—Major Issues

- Rising Management Expectations
- User Demands for Increasingly Complex Solutions
- Managing the Technology Investment
- Integration of Data/Technology/ Applications
- Delivery of Mission-Critical Systems

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Information Systems—
Blocking Factors

- Infrastructure Gridlock
- Lack of Qualified Personnel
- Existing Applications Portfolio
- Organizational Response Time

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Target for Information Systems Management 1990s

- Organization
- Network Environment
- Development Environment
- Responsibility Shift to User

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Federated IS Organization

Corporate IS	Unit IS
• Competition	• Customers
• Partnerships	• Business Support
• Standards	• Operating Systems
• Corporate Systems	• Policy
• Corporate Policies	

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Network Environment

Intelligent Workstation =

Window to Information Services

- Local
- Distributed
- Central
- External

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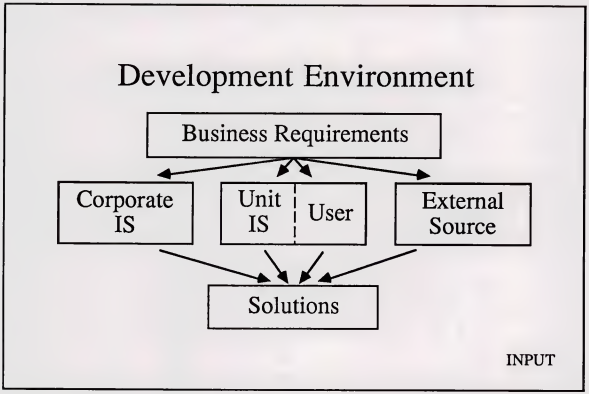

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Responsibility Shift to User

- Manage Tier-Two & -Three Processing
- Do Significant Portion of Application Development
- Manage Tier-Two & -Three Data Bases
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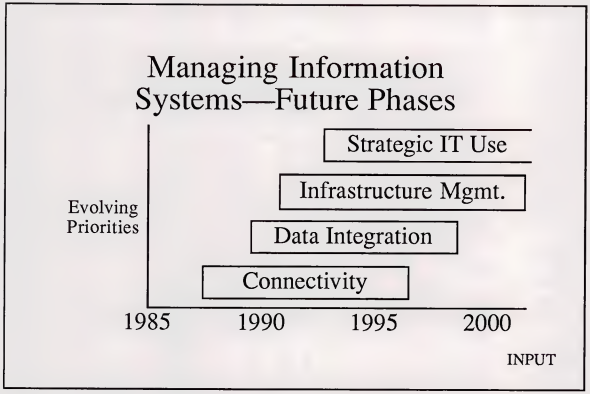

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Corporate Information Systems Primary Responsibilities

- Network and Integration Management
- Data Integration and Management
- Application Architecture and Development Environment

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Corporate Information Systems Primary Responsibilities

- Consulting and Counsel
- Strategic Opportunity Identification
- Competition Monitoring
- Standards, Standards, Standards

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Corporate Information Systems Organization Style

- Smaller
- Expert Based—Technology and Business
- Consulting Style—Information Engineers and Solution Builders
- Marketeers for Technology

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Information Systems Executive

An Internal "Systems Integrator"

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Topics

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Historical Framework

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Breadth of the Relationship

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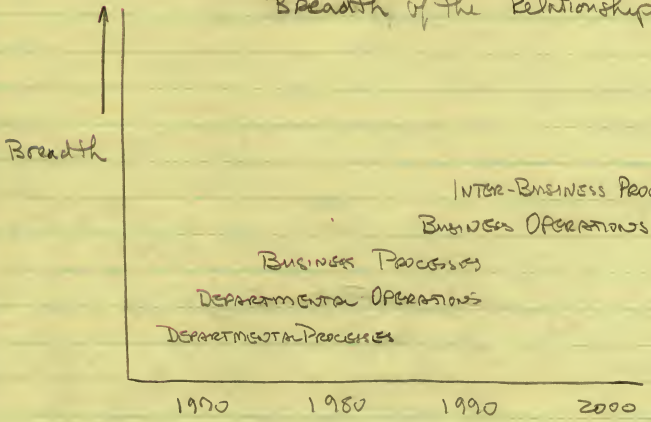

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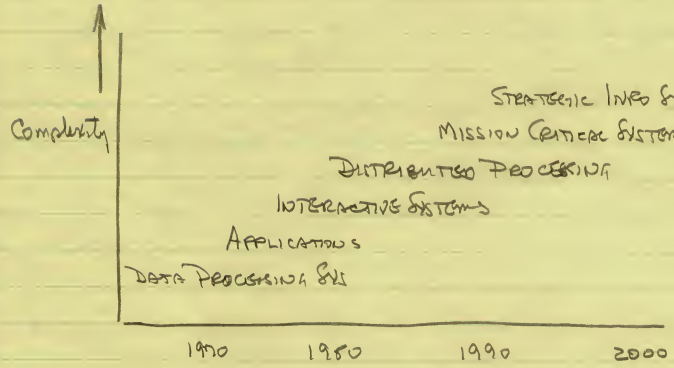

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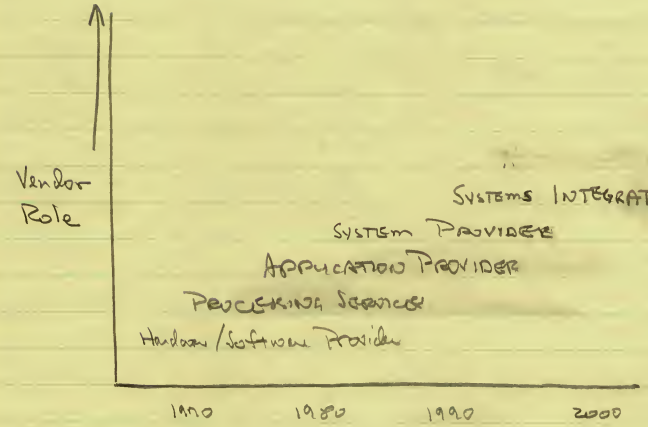

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~~Dynamics of Information Systems~~

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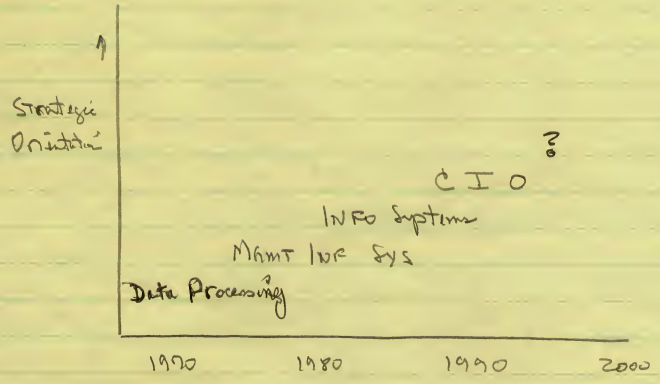

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Network Environment

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NETWORK ENVIRONMENT

Tomorrow's Workstation

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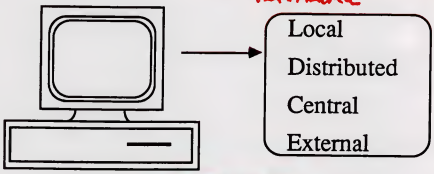

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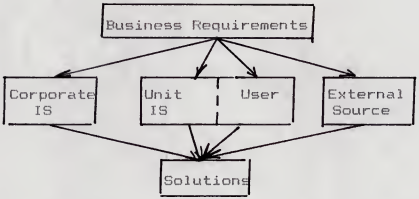

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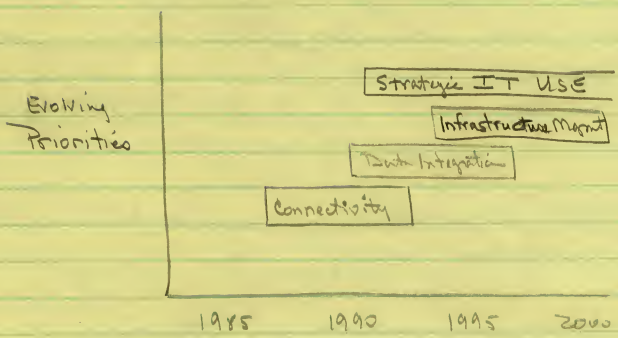

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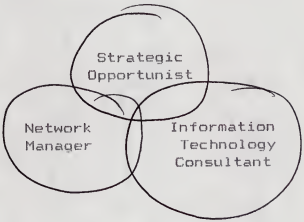
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